OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

the City Of Augusto

Proclamation

IN RECOGNITION of "Colonel Michael J. Guthrie"

WHEREAS, Colonel Michael J. Guthrie was assigned to Fort Gordon, Georgia, upon graduating from the Army War College in 2000 and has continued serving until retirement from his current position as the Deputy Assistant Commandant of the United States Army Signal Center and Fort Gordon; and

WHEREAS, he has actively pursued the strengthening of the relationship between Fort Gordon and its host community of Augusta; and

WHEREAS, he has generously given of his time and talents to further develop partnerships with local and state agencies; and

WHEREAS, he has demonstrated the highest of professional standards and has left his mark on all those with whom he has come in contact; and

WHEREAS, it will be an honor to have Colonel Guthrie remain in the Augusta area upon his retirement from active duty.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bob Young, Mayor of the City of Augusta, do hereby proclaim June 24, 2004, as "COLONEL MICHAEL J. GUTHRIE DAY" in commemoration of his outstanding military service and service to the community, in Augusta, Georgia, and urge all citizens to join me in this worthy observance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of Augusta, Georgia, to be affixed this 24th day of June 2004.

Mayor